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I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the State of California. I am employed in the aforesaid county, State of California; I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the within action; my business address is 727 Sansome Street, San Francisco, California 94111.

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- NOTICE OF FILING OF REMOVAL:
- NOTICE OF REMOVAL TO FEDERAL COURT UNDER 28 U.S.C. **SECTIONS 1332 AND 1443 [DIVERSITY JURISDICTION];**
- DECLARATION OF MICHAEL P. MCGRATH IN SUPPORT OF NOTICE OF REMOVAL TO FEDERAL COURT; AND
- PROOF OF SERVICE (DATED SEPTEMBER 7, 2007).

on the interested parties in this action by placing the **true copy** thereof, enclosed in a sealed envelope, with postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Via U.S. Mail

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Executed on September 10, 2007.

/s/ Patricia Brown Patricia Brown

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